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### THE SOBER SECOND THOUGHT.

There are indications that the Democratic leaders begin to doubt the propriety of continuing the personal assaults upon President Grant and his Administration. Mr. Roseveldt, M. C., editor of the *Citizen* has recently written a strong editorial weather-cock, the New York *Herald*, has also cried enough, and a number of other journals have protested against the system of villification now carried on.

To Republicans, who are confident of the purity of the Administration, it matters little what course the Democracy may pursue. The people of the United States are too intelligent to be influenced either by unfounded personal attacks, or by misrepresentations of the public policy. There can be no doubt but that the Republican Administration has been gaining strength within the last six months, and that all efforts to defeat it in the next Presidential campaign will fail.

It is for this reason that the few malcontents within the Republican ranks, like Horace Greeley and others, are so malignant and unjust. They cannot conceive why the masses of the people who have no personal grievances to redress, should treat charges which to the malcontents seem conclusive, as unproven or of minor importance.

The great facts that the public peace has been maintained, the public credit upheld, the public debt decreased, taxation largely diminished, and earnest efforts have been made to improve the tarriff, the civil service and our educational system, have satisfied the people that it is much safer to trust Grant, Boutwell, Delano, Belknap, & Co., than to seek relief by elevating the Democratic party either under the old or a new name.

Admitting that many reforms—both administrative and personal—are desirable; (and there is no doubt the Administration will purify itself as far as it is possible) the question arises "will the proposed new combination be likely to do better.

It is claimed, but this is only an hypothesis, which we admit for the sake of argument, that Greeley, Sumner, Schurz, Trumbull, J. D. Cox, Tipton, Fenton, and others are anxious to co-operate with the Democracy for the purpose of creating a reform party par excellence. It is impossible to estimate how many followers these gentlemen may have; but indications now are that five per cent. from the Republican ranks would be a liberal allowance. Let us then look the facts in the face, and see what the chances of reform would be and what influence these gentlemen would be likely to have:

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| Malcontent Republicans | 5 per cent. |
| The ex-rebel element | 35 " " |
| The old regular Democratic | 60 " " |

The reader may adjust the above per centage as he pleases. The great fact still remains that the Democracy, of which the colossal Tammany frauds were the legitimate outgrowth, and the irreconcilable rebel elements would constitute the overwhelming majority.

It may be within the bounds of credibility that the whale swallowed Jonah, but not that Jonah swallowed the whale; and thus the Democracy may swallow Schurz, Greeley & Co., as it swallowed Doolittle, Cowan, Dixon and others before them, but it is beyond the bounds of an ordinary miracle to assume that the four millions of Democratic and rebel voters, organized and disciplined as they are, will surrender either their principles, convictions, or organization to the deserters from the Republican camp.

The State of Missouri furnishes a striking illustration of this proposition. The Democracy in that State was in a hopeless minority, the United Republican party being nearly two to one. The Democracy accepted with delight the services of Carl Schurz, which enabled it to get into power, but when it was in power it sent Blair to the Senate, but not Gratz Brown or any other "Reform Republican." Thus it will ever be—traitors and tools are welcome, "but the moor can go," when the work is accomplished.

JOSEPH THOMAS, of Waterford, Erie county, now in his sixtieth year, has never been ill enough to lose a meal of victuals, and is a great-grandfather.

### CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

The Democratic press, encouraged by a few uneasy and fault finding Republicans, has been arraigning the President and the Republican party for what they term an effort not to adopt any civil service reform, and every new defalcation has been eagerly caught at as another arrow in their quiver with which to attack the Administration.

They have been told that the Republican party has had several important matters to attend to, but when the proper time came, it would show itself in this as in other measures, a party of progress and reform. The subject has been often referred to in the public press, as if a system of reform had already been agreed upon, and nothing more was needed but for the President to give some kind of an order and the whole subject would be arranged to everybody's entire satisfaction.

Rogues would be seen fleeing from the service like rats from a sinking ship, and incapables would hide their diminished heads. This would be a very pretty scene, but it is unnecessary to add that it is too much to expect from any order or legislative enactment. It is much easier to tear down than to build up, to find fault than to remedy evils.

The faults of our civil service system have long since been detected, and it is wonderful that our Democratic friends, who are so eager in *recommending* reforms, did not think of this while they were in power.

At the last session of Congress, the time had arrived when the Republican party could devote a little attention to this subject. The President was authorized to appoint a Commission to consider and report upon some plan to render the civil service more effective and to guard against corruption.

That Commission has reported, and the President has surely not been slow to communicate the result to Congress and the country, accompanying it with an avowed intention of putting it in practice as far as he has the power. The regulations which have been agreed upon and reported by this Commission relate to the selection and promotion of members of the civil service, and our Democratic friends may rest assured, if this does not remedy the evils complained of, some other system will be devised and trials made until a reasonable success shall have been achieved.

In this connection, one or two suggestions upon the subject may not be out of place.

All true reforms in the civil service must be based upon a correct standard of character. A rigid scrutiny must be maintained over the private character of every appointed agent and servant of the government. And herein is the most difficult part of the business. What a man knows may be easily determined, but what a man is at heart is a difficult question to decide. And yet the respectability of any service really depends on the character of the men employed in it.

What is wanted in the public service, is the adoption of some standard of character which will exclude all but gentlemen. We do not mean by this ill used term, men simply proficient in all the minute conventionalities of what is termed polite society, but men of sterling integrity; men who take for their motto the golden rule, in their intercourse with the world, men who do right because it is right and not through fear of punishment or hope of reward; men who are kind, respectful and considerate of the feelings of others; men who recognize true manhood wherever it exists, and regard all service as honorable, which is well performed in any condition of life. It is not possible to excite a feeling of just pride in the service of the government unless the standard of moral character is elevated. Men are put in responsible positions with scarcely a word of inquiry into their character and afterwards kept there when they are pulicly known to be corrupt. We have no name for what the French call "esprit du corps" probably because we have no need of it, having nothing to apply it to. Fix a standard an ideal one even, if it cannot be fully attained, but one worthy of honest pride, and it will soon develop an "esprit du corps" which which will revolutionize the service.

One other suggestion which is particularly applicable at Washington: The Head of a Department must to some extent depend upon subordinates for carrying out details, and he must necessarily delegate to some men authority over others. It is important that the men who have authority be men of the right stamp. They above all others should be gentlemen, kind and considerate for the rights and feeling of others and men of sound judgment.—Nothing tends more to degrade any service than the display of a tyranical officiousness by persons dressed in a little brief authority. It is resorted to by a class of narrow minded men who think to magnify their own importance by issuing frivulous orders suggestive of school-boy regulations. Such conduct is annoying and degrading to the service. If men are wanting in the requisites of true manly character, they ought not to disgrace the service. If they are men of just pride and proper self-respect, there is no need of treating them as mere working machines. Let men be treated as gentlemen. It is the first step towards making them such. If they prove unworthy, as they sometimes will, they may be discharged.

### $15 Per Head.

Jacob H. Seibert, one of M'Clure's own witnesses, made the following statement on a cross-examination, in one of the suits which M'Clure has instituted to repair his lost reputation. The report says:

The witness was then cross-examined by Mr. Bonham.

"I live No. 1150 South Ninth street; am a printer; have lived there about a year; have worked at painting uninterruptedly about eighteen years; am now on the *Public Record*; was paid to go on the errand in the Nineteenth ward

Bonham—How much did you get?

Witness—That will take some time; I received a certain sum, but distributed it among my men.

Bonham—How much to each?

Witness—$15.

Bonham—How many men?

Witness—About fifteen or twenty-five; I received the money from Colonel M'Clure;

A nice fellow indeed to talk about corruption when his own witnesses swear that he corupted men with $15 a piece. *Harrisburg Telegraph.*

"I Tell you what it is," said on old player "you can talk as much as you like about intelligence and æthetics and such rubbish, but before a man can make a living at this business he's got to serve an apprenticeship at it. I'm considered a pretty successful artist myself, and it's all because I've been box-tender, bill-poster, advertiser, scene-shifter, manager and walking gentleman, and, sir," here he drew himself up proudly, "I've played Macbeth when I was so drunk that I couldn't find my way off the stage, and made a hit, too, sir!"

A correspondent of the Sharon *Herald* says the fatal accident which occurred at the Otis Iron Works, a short time since, which resulted in the death of Dennis Meloy, as is supposed by some, from falling from the trestle work, near the stock house, is, he thinks, most likely to be an atrocious and cowardly murder, and the villains, whoever they may be, that committed the deed, carried the dead body and threw it in the position where it was found, thinking to screen themselves.

A Wyoming woman judge was obliged to vacate her seat on the bench a few days ago, and the cause, briefly stated was twins. Recovering her health, she desired to attend court, but her husband steadfastly refused to take care of the twins. At last accounts the judge and her husband were discussing the matter in the most frantic manner, and the court in question was under adjournment, waiting the result.

The *Home Journal* says of Henry Ward Beecher: "Years ago, when a dollar was of more value than it is to day, and when his reputation was not world-wide, a Western Young Men's Christian Association tride to pursuade the divine to go out and lecture to them, without charge saying it would increase his fame. He telegraphed in reply: 'I will lecture for F. A. M. E—fifty and my expenses."

The intemperate temperance reformers of Massachusetts, having declared that the love of liquor is stimulated by the use of tobacco, the New York *Tribune* asks, "Why is it that the Mohammedans, who are both temperate and long lived, are also the "most inveterate smokers in the world?" They will have to chew the cud of reflection a good while before solving that riddle.

The operators of the diamond drill at Kansas City Mo., discovered an immense body of water at a depth of eight hundred feet. An investigation is proposed with a view to supplying the city thereform.

### HON. HENRY W. WILLIAMS.

[From the Wellsboro Agitator 31st ult.]

As the time for the nomination of a Republican candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court is at hand, we deem it our privilege to express our preference for the position. Among the learned gentlemen who have been named as candidates, we know of none more eminently qualified to occupy a seat upon the Supreme Bench than the Hon. Henry W. Williams, the President Judge of this (the 4th) Judicial District. There are, in our opinion, many reasons why Judge Williams should be nominated. He is now in the full vigor of manhood, and would bring to the Bench a mind not enfeebled by disease or dimmed by age. He was appointed Additional Law Judge of this District in 1864. In 1865 he was elected to fill that office for a term of ten years; and in 1871, four years before his term expired, he was elected President Judge of this Judicial District. From the first he has given great satisfaction in the discharge of his official duties. Being in the prime of life, blessed with good health, great industry and a well developed judicial mind, he has brought to the Bench those qualities that so well enable him to occupy a leading position among his fellows while he remained at the bar. Since he has been upon the Bench he has tried many closely contested causes, both in and out of his District, and so well has he satisfied both client and counsel, that but few have been taken to the Supreme Court, and rarely has one been reversed by our courts of last resort.

During our remembrance, our courts have been presided over by several able and distinguished gentlemen, and we are but speaking the universal sentiments of our people when we affirm that none administered justice with more marked ability or greater fairness; and by his nomination and election the State would gain, what this District would lose, an able, upright, and impartial Judge.

We believe Judge Williams should be nominated for another reason: Judge Thompson, who retires from the Bench, is a resident of the northwestern section of the State. The other four members of the Supreme Court reside in our great cities; Messrs. Sharswood and Reed in Philadelphia, and Williams and Agnew in Pittsburg. None of these belong to the rural districts of the State. They are not, either as lawyers or Judges, familiar with the practice in the country; with the trial of ejecments, or the many difficult questions that are incident to the trial and settlement of land titles in the Commonwealth. As a land lawyer Judge Williams has few equals and no superior. With him that branch of the law has been a specialty. He would bring to the Supreme Bench a fund of knowledge upon that subject that would be invaluable.

While our present Judges are learned and excel in common law—while they are profound in that branch of civil and criminal jurisprudence peculiar to our great cities, none of them can so well understand the wants and necessities of the country and the administration of justice therein, as one who has spent his whole life, either as a member of the country bar or presiding over a Court of Common Pleas, in the country. Can it be denied that the country should have at least one member upon the Supreme Bench? Surely this is not an unreasonable request. Since the organization of that Court, three-fourths of its Judges have come from the great cities of the Commonwealth; but few have come from the country. And if the claim of the country is to be recognized, no one can be more favorably situated than Judge Williams. The "Northern Tier" not only has never had a member of the Supreme Court, but she has never had a State official of any kind.

In 1868 she gave General Grant 15,000 majority, and ever since the organization of the Republican party she has annually given a greater majority for the ticket than the whole balance of the State. Since 1860, the "Northern Tier" has saved the State to the Republican party. Her people have never faltered in their devotion to its principles or measures, and during all this time they have had no sort of recognition from the Bepublican party of the State. The Republicans of this section have honored every draft made upon them, and now, when two of the Justices of the Supreme Court reside in the extreme southwest, and two in the extreme southeast, we feel that the Republican party of the State should show the rural districts and the north some consideration by the nomination of Judge Williams. Tioga has ever been the banner county of the old "Wilmot District" and of the State. From the first she has given a greater per cent. of Republican votes than any sister county, and now, when we present a gentleman so well qualified for the position, we hope, and have faith to believe, that our request will be gratified.

## LOCALS.

For the REPUBLICAN.

MR. EDITOR; For the purpose of encouraging industry, and economy, amongst the ladies I send you the following for publication, Mrs. Joanna E. Way, of Patton twp., made in nine months, from one ordinary cow, one hundred and eighty five pounds of butter. Raised one calf that dressed 101 pounds of veal, and three pigs, besides milk and cream used in the family, consisting of herself, her husband and three children. The whole amount when sumed up as follows:

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| 185 lbs butter at 25 cts | $46,25 |
| 101 lbs veal at 8 cts | 8,08 |
| Calf hide | 1,25 |
| 3 pigs | 10,00 |
| Milk and cream for family | 3,00 |
| Total | 70,58 |

The above is from actual weight, and can be relied on as correct.

LOCUST.

TAKE YOUR OWN HOME PAPER.—"What tells us so readily the standard of a town or city as the appearance of its paper? And its youth or its age can as well be determined by the observing as by a personal notice. The enterprise of its citizens is depicted by its advertisements, their liberality by the looks of the paper. Some papers show a good, solid, healthy foundation, plethoric purses, and a well-to-do appearance generaly; others show a striving to contend with the grasping thousands around them, trying hard to wrench out an existence from the close-fisted community around them. An occasional meteoric display in its columns of telegraph or local or of editorials, shows what it can do if it had the means, but it cannot continue in the expensive work until support comes, which ought to be readily granted. A newspaper is like a church; it wants fostering in the commencement, and for a few years; then, as a general thing, it can walk alone, and reflect credit upon its location. Take your home paper; it gives you more news of immediate interest than New York or other papers; it talks for you when other localities belie you; it stands up for your rights, you always have a champion in your home paper, and those who stand up for you should certainly be well sustained. Your interests are kindred and equal, and you must rise or fall together. Therefore, it is your interest to support your home paper; not grudgingly, but in a liberal spirit; as a pleasure, not as a disagreeable duty; but as an investment that will amply pay the expenditure."—*Godey's Lady's Book.*

A DREADFUL LEAP—*A Boy Accidentally Leaps from the River Bridge to the Frozen River Below.*—On last Saturday the Mifflin Bridge Company had a man employed in making some repairs in the floor of the bridge that crosses the river at this place. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon the workman had an opening in the floor of some six or eight plank. Just at this time a party of boys, running at the headlong rate peculiar to boys, entered the bridge, and before either the boys or the man there comprehended the danger, Charles Crawford, aged about 13 years, nephew to Senator Crawford, leaped into the opening, and to the horror of his companions and, Mr. Wilson, disappeared from their sight. Mr. Wilson with all speed hastened below to the boy on the ice, picked him up and carried him to the toll-house, from which he was subsequently carried to his mother's residence. His uncle, Dr. Crawford, was speedily summoned, and rendered all the attention required. How the boy escaped with his life is the wonder of the community. He was not even rendered unconscious by the fall of 26 feet, the distance from the bridge to the ice. He lit on his right hip. No bones were broken, but he was considerably bruised, and had to keep his bed for several days. It is believed, however, that no serious results will follow the fall.—*Juniata Sentinal.*

COFFINS, Caskets and Burial cases always on hand, and made to order at O'Bryans. Funerals attended with an elegant hearse.

MURDOCH, to night.

TO OUR READERS.—Please read the advertisements; make it a rule to do so, and impress this duty upon your children, your guests, your servants, and by so doing, you will have the thanks of advertisers of every rank, degree and kind.

When you go to a hall, and shall we say it? to a church, your thoughts detach themselves from the most entertaining or the most solemn speaker, and your eyes scan, and seek to penetrate the physiognomies of the people before you. Perhaps you find something to attract or repel you; one or the other is almost sure to be the case; the look, the air, the dress, the ornaments, the *tout ensemble*—nothing escapes you, and you come to certain conclusions, which, perhaps, you whisper to your neighbor. You say, "what divine eyes, or what a peevish mouth she has." You say "this one loves to see herself in the glass of others" eyes or that one has the unconsciousness of self, which is the last and perfect charm of gentle manners.

Now, advertisements scanned are really profitable, amusing, and induce a train of fancies. Read a hotel advertisement and a picture rises before you of long tables, of waiters, of various courses at the table, of cosy rooms and blazing hearths, of taking the early train.

Read the lawyer's card, and you con conceive the rows of calf-bound books, the attorney in profound black and abstracted air, full of "wise saws and modern instances;" the merchants's card calls up visions of everything to wear that adds to comfort, or pleases the eye, or gives a richness to the tone of home. Cards of engines and boilers make us draw comparisons swiftly, and if we want one, we run our eye all over the list, and are full of decision to buy somewhere, but hesitation which to select, and so of banks and architects, and markets and insurance, and hardware and boots and shoes, and coal dealers, and furniture men and photograph artists—we cannot tell over one-tenth the classes, all are like so many different notes of birds, so many different creatures of strength and beauty, put in cages in a vast caravansera—which the daily newspaper has on exhibition.

Try and keep watch of our advertisers; some stand patiently in one position, all the year round like the hills, and have marks of stability on them; others come and go like a flash, one moment illuminating all around, and another, leaving a darkness that can be felt; some lie coiled in a small corner of space, as if asleep, and anon rise, and unwind and stretch into unsuspected proportions. The freaks of advertisers are really worth our study. Why, we have a city here that which for advertisers to mount the stage, as astronomers do for a new planet or comet. See, they say, look for the paper. This is the season for "So-and-So's" advent. And then the blaze bursts forth; everybody looks up. It is the sensation of the day. Nothing else is talked of but this phenomenon. Grandmother scans it through her spectacles, and the little children scream and try to grasp the big letters or pictures on the floor.

Do not fail to study our advertisements, seek them out as you would a friend's house or a Doctor's, in case of sickness. Such a street, such a number, such a house, and you can find it in the dark.

THE CUMMINGS HOUSE.—It is with pleasure we call the attention of the readers of the REPUBLICAN to the advertisement of Isaac Gates. Mr. Gates has leased the Cummings House for a term of years, and has determined to use all his energies to make it the farmers home Mr. Gates is himself a farmer, has spent his life up to the present time in that occupation. He now thinks that he knows just what this class of the community wants, and he has determined to accommodate them. His table is the very best in town or country, and he intends to keep it in that way. Turkies, chickens, fresh beef, mince pies, canned peaches, tomatoes, peas, beans, everything that brings to remembrance the balmy days of summer is to be seen on the table at the Gates House. Besides keeping a good table, Mr. Gates has in his employ the most careful hosslers, he has the best of stabling, and his house is just the place that farmers should seek as a home, as their place to stop while they abide in town. We have no hesitancy in saying that farmers, mechanics and others who stop with Mr. Gates will never have occasion to regret it. He is a gentleman in every sence of the word, and knows how to keep a hotel.

DON'T fail to hear Murdoch, to night.

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### THE BEAUTIFUL SNOW

The Omaha *Republican* gives the following history of the origin of this production, which the London *Spectator* has pronounced to be the finest poem ever written in America:—

"The early part of the war one dark Saturday night, in the dead of winter, there died in the Commercial Hospital, in Cincinnati, a young woman, over whose head only two and twenty summers had passed. She had once been possessed of an enviable share of beauty, and had been, as she herself says, 'flattered and sought for charms of the face;' but alas! upon her fair brow was written that terrible word—prostitute! Once the pride of respectable parentage, her first wrong step was the small beginning of the 'same old story over again,' which has been the only life history of thousands. Highly educated and accomplished manners, she might have shone in the best of society. But the evil hour that proved her ruin was the door from childhood, and having spent a roving life in disgrace and shame, the poor friendless one died the melancholy death of a broken-hearted outcast. Among her personal effects was found in manuscript, 'The Beautiful Snow,' which was immediately carried to Enos E. Reed, a gentelman of culture and literary tastes, who was, at that time, editor of the *National Union*. In the columns of that paper, on the morning of the day following the girl's death, the poem appeared in print for the first time. When the paper containing the poem came out on Sunday morning, the body of the victim had not yet received burial. The attention of Thomas Buchanan Reed, one of the first American poets was so taken with their stirring pathos, that he immediately followed the corps to its final resting place. Such are the plain facts concerning her whose 'Beautiful Snow' shall long be remembered as one of the brightest gems in American literature."

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow!
Filling the sky and the earth below,
Over the house tops, over the street,
Over the heads of the people you meet,
Dancing,
Flirting,
Skipping along;
Beautiful snow! it can do nothing wrong;
Flying to kiss a fair lady's cheek,
Clinging to lips in a frolicsome freak;
Beautiful snow from the heavens above,
Pure as an angel, gentle as love!

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow!
How the flakes gather and laugh as they go
Whirling about in their maddening fun,
It plays in its glee with every one—
Chasing,
Laughing,
Hurrying by,
It lights on the face, and it sparkles the eye
And the playful dogs with a bark and a bound
Snap at the crystals that eddy around;
The town is alive, and its heart in a glow
To welcome the coming of beautiful snow.

How wildly the crowd goes swaying along,
Hailing each other with humor and song!
How the gay sledges like meteors flash by,
Bright for a moment, then lost to the eye!
Ringing,
Swinging,
Dashing they go,
Over the crust of the beautiful snow—
Snow so pure when it falls from the sky,
As to make one regret to see it lie
To be trampled and tracked by the thousands of feet,
Till it blends with the filth in the horrible street.

Once I was as the snow, but I fell—
Fell like the snow flakes, from heaven to hell;
Fell to be trampled as filth in the street;
Fell to be scoffed, to be spit on and beat;
Pleading,
Cursing,
Dreading to die;
Selling my soul to *whoever would buy*;
Dealing in *shame* for a morsel of bread;
Hating the living, and fearing the dead.
Merciful God! Have I fallen so low?
And yet I was once like the beautiful snow.

Once I was fair as the beautiful snow,
With an eye like a crystal, a heart like its glow;
Once I was loved for my innocent grace,
Flattered and sought for the charms of my face.
Father,
Mother,
Sister, all,
God and myself I have lost by my fall!
The veriest wretch that goes shivering by
Will make a wide swoop lest I wander too nigh;
For all that is on or above me, I know
There's nothing that's pure as the beautiful snow,

How strange it should be that this beautiful snow
Should fall on a sinner with nowhere to go!
How strange it would be when night comes again,
If the snow and the ice struck my desperate brain!
Fainting,
Freezing,
Dying alone,
Too wicked for prayer, too weak for a moan
To be heard in the streets of the crazy town,
Gone mad in the joy of the snow coming down.
To be and to die in my terrible woe,
With a bed and a shroud of the beautiful snow.

Helpless and foul as the trampled snow,
Sinner, despair not! Christ stoopeth low
To rescue the soul that is lost in its sin,
And raise it to life and enjoyment again.
Groaning,
Bleeding,
Dying for thee,
The crucified hung on the accursed tree,
His accents of mercy fell soft on thine ear,
Is there mercy for me? Will He heed my prayer?
O God! in the streams that for sinners did flow
Wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

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A COLORED man of Macon, Ga., perplexed about domestic matters, thus appealed to a white Solomon, recently, for enlightenment: Massa Wilkens, look me good in de face, and tell me how much white man you think I is." He was informed that he had, possibly as much as one fourth of the white blood in his veins. "Well, sah," said Sambo, "dat is all I want to know; kase I had a daughter born to me lately, as white as you is. Now, I'se gwine to give my old woman three weeks to turn dat chile black, and ef she don't do it, I quits her on de spot! I ain't no fool, ef I is a niggah."

# SERIOUS RAIL ROAD ACCIDENT!

## A BROKEN RAIL THE CAUSE!

## FOUR CARS BURNED UP!

## Twenty-eight Persons Injured!

[From the Williamsport Gazette & Bulletin.]

On Monday evening, shortly after 11 o'clock, a serious accident took place on the Philadelphia & Erie railroad, about three miles east of Lock Haven, resulting from a broken rail, by which four cars were burned and a large number of passengers more or less injured. The facts, as carefully gathered from the railroad officials and passengers on the train, are as follows:

HOW IT HAPPENED.

The Erie mail east left Lock Haven on Monday evening, January 29, at 10:10, being 35 minutes late. The train had passed Bald Eagle creek, and was proceeding at the rate of about 20 miles an hour. It had reached a point about three miles east of Lock Haven, when four of the cars were suddenly thrown from the track by a broken rail, precipitated down an embankment of twenty feet to the water's edge, where they took fire and were entirely consumed.

The precise nature of the break which caused the accident has not been fully determined. Whether the rail was broken before the engine passed it, or whether it was broken by the engine is a mooted question, although the latter theory is thought to be the most reasonable, by railroad men, from the fact that the engine was not thrown from the track. The train was drawn by engine No. 1014, and there were about forty-five passengers in the cars. The first intimation the passengers had of the accident, they felt the cars rolling down the bank, and of course were badly tumbled about by the violent movement.

THE DAMAGE.

The baggage car, two passenger coaches and the sleeper were sent crashing down the embankment, and were quickly in flames, fire having caught in the sleeping car. The passengers of this car succeeded in effecting their escape through the rear door, whilst those in the other cars kicked out the windows, most of them getting out by that means, and the others by the doors, all on board, it is quite certain, making good their escape, though a great many of them were injured by the fall, and a number burned more or less severely before getting out.

CARING FOR THE SUFFERERS.

As quickly as possible after the first thrill of excitement had subsided, the uninjured began to exert themselves to provide for the others. A number repaired to a shanty near by, occupied by an Irish woman, whom they induced, by making up a purse and giving it to her, to open her house and make up a good fire for the comfort of the wounded. The worst injured were here given all the attention possible during the time they were waiting for relief. This was not long in coming, as the Express west arrived in a short time, and the passengers of the wrecked train were taken on board.

COMMUNICATION INTERRUPTED

The worst difficulty encountered was the lack of telegraghic communication, the wires having been broken down. The engine of the unfortunate train proceeded to Williamsport as rapidly as possible for aid, and a man was also dispatched to Lock Haven, where the wreck car was gotten out and sent to the scene of the accident. As soon as the officials of the road, in Williamsport, were apprised of the occurrence, they exerted themselves with all possible energy to send relief. A physician was summoned and various necessaries provided for the use of the sufferers. A car was soon on the way containing officials and employees of the road, the physician and all the articles likely to be needed on the occasion.

RELIEF ARRIVES.

No time was lost in running up to the scene of the accident, where they arrived just after the passengers had all been picked up by the express west. The wreck car from Lock Haven had arrived in the meantime and cleared the track of all obstructions.

The Express then proceeded to Lock Haven, where a number of the wounded were left after having received careful medical aid and every other attention possible. A full list of the injured was taken, together with the nature of their injuries and their place of residence. Physicians from Williamsport, Jersey Shore and Lock Haven were present, and exerted themselves quite faithfully to alleviate the sufferings of the wounded.

DISPOSITION OF THE INJURED.

The Williamsport special car returned at an early hour in the morning, bringing the remainder of the wounded, with the exception of one, who was left at Jersey Shore. Upon their arrival in Williamsport, rooms were secured in the Herdic House for the wounded, and every possible care exercised to render them comfortable.

The following is a full

LIST OF THE INJURED

as kindly furnished us by the railroad officials:

James Lysaght, Williamsport, burned about the limbs.

Charles Batterson, Troy, Pa., burned badly about the face, feet and limbs.

J. P. Felt, Emporium, Pa., cut above the eye and injured in hand.

Mrs. E. A. Griswold, Sterling, Pa., slightly bruised.

J. R. Hanlin, Pittsburg, flesh wound in head.

Aaron Williams, Bellefonte, flesh wound in side of head.

Daniel McBride, Bellefonte, severe flesh wound of the scalp.

William Steele, Philipsburg, Pa., slightly bruised about chest.

David Steele, Philipsburg, Pa., slightly bruised.

Peter Carroll, Benezette, bruised about the head.

Arthur Quinn, Buffalo, New York (a blind man,) limbs bruised.

J. A. Dale, Tionesta, Pa., left shoulder bruised, and cut in head.

Mr. Finney and daughter, Clearfield, Pa., slightly bruised.

C. F. Ranstead, Williamsport, slightly bruised.

Miss L. Cook, New York, left side bruised.

J. W. Lynch, Philadelphia, head and limbs bruised and slightly burned about hands.

W. W. Mason, Tionesta, Pa., bruised on arm and side. His little daughter also received a slight wound.

James Bushnell, Titusville, cut on the top of head.

M. B. Edsall, Cameltown, Steuben county, N. Y., limbs bruised.

Mrs. Jno. T. Foster, Erie, cut about face.

J. W. Phelps, Emporium, Pa., slight cut in head.

Chas. F. Runnell, Williamsport, bruised on neck.

W. H. Wapples, Northumberland, bruised about head.

Mr. Bender, sleeping car conductor, hand burned, and colored porter on same car slightly injured.

I. G. Sproul, Pittsburg, slightly cut in head, and R. C. G. Sproul, of same place, leg cut badly.

David Woodside, brakeman on train, slightly injured.

REMARKS AND INCIDENTS.

The above are all slightly injured, with the exception of James Lysaght, Charles Batterson and Daniel McBride. Only one of the last named—Mr. Batterson—is considered serious. He is the gentleman left at Jersey Shore, and who is in quite a critical condition.

The passengers were all able to resume their journey this Tuesday morning, with the exception of the gentleman referred to above, and Mr. R. C. G. Sproul, Williamspart being his destination. The two Mr. Sprouls named in this article are sons of Henry Sproul, Esq., of Williamsport, and were coming to the city to attend the wedding of their sister, Miss Libbie Sproul, to take place this evening.

It is remarkably fortunate, under the circumstances, that no more disastrous results attended this accident. It was of such a character that it could not have been anticipated or avoided. The railroad company are in no way censurable, as it was owing to no neglect of theirs. As far as we could learn in conversing with the passengers, none of them reflected in the least upon either the managers or employees of the railroad company.

The Attorney of the road happened to be stopping at the Herdic House on Monday night, and this (Tuesday) morning made satisfactory arrangement with the greater number of those injured The hotel, and other expenses of those detained, were also defrayed by the company.

We desire to express our obligations to the officers of the railroad company for cheerfully furnishing all the information in their power concerning the accident. They are wise, we think, in consenting to let the full particulars of such accidents, no mater what those particulars may be, go before the public.

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### Western Justice.

Several years ago, when the West was comparatively a new country, an individual presented himself at the door of a log grocery in a settlement since abandoned, and asked if there was a judge in the place. Upon being informed the storekeeper himself was a judge, the stranger proceeded:

"Well, Judge, you see the facts in the case are this: I war travelin' along with a pardner down here a piece, and he showed me a silver dollar which he had. Well, I popped him under the ear with my pistol. Then I took his silver and tobacco, and cum along here; but got to thinking the matter over, and don't think I did just the right thing by pardner. My conshuns has been troublin' me, and I think I ought to be hung. Now, judge, if it wouldn't be too much trouble, I'd like to have you try me and have me hung. If you doubt the facts in the case, there is the dollar I took from my pardner, and you,ll find his remains down the road a piece under a log. I'll feel obliged to you, judge, if you,ll have me hung."

The judge told the stranger to make himself comfortable over at the hotel until he could send some men to investigate the matter, and if they found the body he would call a jury and try the stranger, as was desired. The dead man being found, the judge summoned a jury and sent word to the stranger at the hotel that if he would step over to the store they would give him a trial.

The stranger appeared immediately shook hands with the judge and jury, invited the court to take a drink, and appeared grateful and satisfied with the proceedings.

The trial proceeded socially, and the tender-hearted jury brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. A look of anxiety, which the stranger had worn up to this time, faded from his face as he stood up to receive his sentence. "You have been found guilty," said the judge, "of the crime of manslaughter, for which you are undoubtedly penitent." Here the stranger again began to get anxious and uneasy.

"And if," proceeded the judge, "It meets with your approbation, we will try to hang you next Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock. In the meantime, try to make yourself as comfortable as possible."

The stranger looked a little sad, and the judge asked him if he wasn't satisfied. If there was anything he could do for him.

"Judge, I hate to be particular and fussy," said the stranger, "but having the ager and fever, the chills come on at 10 o'clock in the morning', an' if you could have me swung off before that I should feel obliged."

"Of course," said the judge, "we always respect a party's feelings. No trouble at all. Come round at 9 o'clock and may be we'll get through before church time."

Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the stranger came out of the hotel and proceeded to the grocery. There he met deputation of citizens, one of whom threw a lariat over the limb of a tree and, as soon as the stranger had taken a chew of tobacco and shaken hands all round, they hauled him up."

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### Perilous Adventure.

GALLANT PRESERVATION OF A YOUNG MAN'S LIFE.

CINCINNATI, January 30.—The frozen river this morning was dotted with foot passengers and skaters. The most careful of those who ventured on the ice confined themselves to places which had been thoroughly tested, but ever and anon some one would venture on dangerous ground, and warned by ominous cracks and swells they would retreat to the beaten path.

At about half past nine o'clock two men and a boy, with more daring than had yet been exhibited, attempted to cross from the mouth of Licking to the foot of Broadway. A portion of the space directly midway between the two shores, over which they had to cross, had but last night, up to a late hour, been open, having been broken by the harbor towboat yesterday. It was large and smooth as glass, and looked tempting enough to the venturesome skaters. The boy took the lead, and had proceeded but a short distance when a shout was heard. A volume of water spurted into the air, and the form disappeared from view.

On rising to the surface the young man grasped at the ice to save himself, but it crumbled in his grasp, and again he sank from view. A dozen times he rose to the surface, and as many times his effort failed. By this time some one had started to his assistance, but breaking through the ice and barely escaping with his own life, he retreated to the shore, where an immense crowd had collected. No one dared to venture on the new-made ice, and for a time the boy was left to his apparent fate. Every one was proficient in his advice, and it was evident that shouts of a thousand voices added nerve to his spirit. The struggle for life was a desperate one, and truly heartrending.

Armed with a long ladder, Mr. Paris Brown, one of the firm of Parker, Wise & Co., the well-known boat-store firm, and Mr. Richard Burns, Second clerk of the steamer Lawrence, started out at the great peril of their own lives, to save the boy. In the meantime several men had started out from Kentucky shore, pushing themselves along on the ice in a skiff, but the method proved slow, and they finally desisted. Ropes were thrown to the boy, but his hands were too cold to retain the grape. Rapidly the two brave young men neared the open space which had grown large in the boy's efforts to save himself, and finally he was hauled out on the ladder in a completely exhausted condition, having been in the water fully three-quarters of an hour. The young men immediately divested themselves of their coats, in which they wrapped the boy, and while one pushed the ladder toward the shore the other commenced a vigorous rubbing.

The half drowned and nearly frozen lad was immeaditely taken on board the steamer R. R. Hudson, where he was rubbed with flannels and gradually brought to. He was removed to comfortable quarters at the corner Front and Sycamore streets, where a physician attended to his wants. At latest accounts he was in a fair way to recover, notwithstanding that when first rescued his limbs were nearly frozen stiff.

The boy's name is Edward Summerwell. He is an orphan, about seventeen years old, and resides with his guardian, Mr. Eastman, on Fifth street, near Madison, in Covington. The young men to whom his life is due deserve the greatest praise for their heroic efforts in his behalf. Credit is also owing to Mr. Jas. Troy, mate of the R. R. Hudson, for valuable services rendered. The saving of the boy was loudly cheered by the vast crowd.

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### A Serious Mistake for a Married Man to Make.

A little incident occurred in front of International Hotel, Virginia City, a few days ago, which is worth the room to relate. There resides in Gold Hill a married man a tall, good-natured Scotchman—whose wife went on a visit to the East some eight months ago. A couple of weeks ago she wrote him a letter that the would leave for home, and that he might expect her to arrive in Virginia City on a certain day. At the appointed time our Gold Hiller (who had scarcely talked to any living woman since his wife left for the East), anxiously waited on the sidewalk in front of the stage office to embrace his long-absent wife; and several of his friends noticing his impatience, inquired his cause, when he enthusiastically informed them that he expected his dear wife, who had been absent for eight long months, and he would be so happy when she arrived, that it would be equal to getting married again, and he was sure she was on the in-coming stage, as she wrote exactly the day she would start for home, and it took just as many days to come on the cars, and the time was up, &c. The stage arrived and drew up in front of the International hotel, where our friend had already engaged a comfortable chamber, as he knew his wife must be tired and sleepy after such a long journey. &c.—The passengers all got out of the coach except the lady on the back seat, who was deeply veiled and had on a thick, checked shawl. Our Gold Hill friend made a rush into the stage to embrace and kiss his wife—he knew it was her by the check shawl she had on, as it was the one she left home in—and just as he was about throwing his arms around her neck, and pushing the heavy brown veil aside to get a good smack at her lips, a deep, sonorous voice from under the veil exclaimed: "Never mind, chile, I kin get out myself, I kin!" Horror of horrors could such a thing be that it was not the long-expected wife! The would-be husband withdrew from the stage and out bounced a big, fat colored woman of at least two hundred and fifty pounds in weight, and, throwing aside her veil, she cast a terrible pair of black eyes at the intruder, with this remark: "You can't fool dis gal afore all dis crowd." The disappointed husband asked the crowd into Captain Vesey's saloon to take a drink, provided the whole thing was kept a secret which has been strictly observed. His wife has since arrived, and he is happy, but he swears he will burn up that check shawl she wore when she left home. No more check shawls for him.—*Gold Hill (Nevada) News.*

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### A Railroader Convinced.

There was a man in Mauch Chunk, a few days ago, with a patent air brake for railroad cars for sale. He claimed that it would stop a train going at the highest rate of speed in half its own length. There was a certain railroad man up there who treated this suggestion with scorn, and said he would wager large sums that the air brake wouldn't stop a train any quicker than any other brake. So he borrowed the contrivance and fixed it on an open car on the Switchback Railroad, and went up to Mount Pisgah to get a fair start. He let her come down the inclined plane for a while until she began to move along at the rate of sixty miles an hour, and then he suddenly placed his foot on the brake and put it on with full power. One minute later the eye of any solitary traveler passing through those wilds might have observed a car standing perfecty still on the track and a railroad man going down hill among the blackberry bushes and underbrush head formost at the rate—say of forty-five miles an hour. He was carried home on a stretcher, and now that railroad man not only has perfect faith in the availability of the air brake, but he is convinced that it would be a good thing if some man would invent a machine for taking the flatness and general demoralization, as it were, out of mutilated noses. It is recorded that he has solemnly assured all his friends that he will never try it again.

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THE Democrats expect to gain Senators in Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Georgia, Nevada, North Carolina, and Oregon. If they gain all these, the new Senators will stand politically fourteen Republicans and ten Democrats. It is possible that a new election will be held in North Carolina, if Mr. Vance, whom the Senate refuses to admit, resigns his certificate, as the Democrats desire him to do.—*Cin. Inquirer.*

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TURNED UP.—The man who takes poison in bar rooms, so as to get pumped out and filled up with whisky, has turned up in Omaha. In this place some chaps get full of whisky and don't get "pumped out," although they are completely poisoned.

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THE greatest men live unseen to view, while thousands are not qualified to express their influence.


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| Lewistown Borough | 7:30 | 11:10 | 2:20 | 5:04 |
| Freedom Iron Works | 7:40 | 11:17 | 2:30 | 5:14 |
| Yeagertown | 7:45 | 11:22 | 2:35 | 5:19 |
| Mann's Siding | 7:52 | 11:27 | 2:40 | 5:23 |
| Reedsville | 7:57 | 11:35 | 2:45 | 5:28 |
| Honey Creek | 8:12 | 11:45 | 2:55 | 5:38 |
| Nageny | 8:18 | 11:53 | 3:00 | 5:43 |
| Milroy | 8:25 | 11:59 | 3:07 | 5:50 |

| STATIONS. | LEAVE SOUTHWARD. No. 1. A. M. | No. 2. P. M. | No. 3. P. M. | No 4. P M. |
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| Nageny | 8:35 | 12:25 | 3:25 | 6:05 |
| Honey Creek | 8:40 | 12:30 | 3:30 | 6:10 |
| Reedsville | 8:55 | 12:45 | 3:42 | 6:17 |
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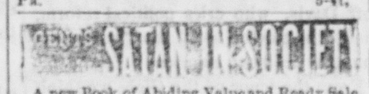

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There is hardly a word in our language, so much harped upon by the press in common parlance as the word "Reform." It is true, the gigantic frauds and betrayal of trust in high and responsible places, that have recently been brought to the surface and exposed to the public view have commanded a peoples attention, incurred their righteous indignation, and cry out for correction and reform. But how is the desired result to be brought about? Is it, by unfair, unjust and causeless criticism of an Administration that keeps pace with, if not goes in advance of the people, the true power of reform, in favor of reform? Is it to be accomplished by puerile cavilings and ridiculous effort to bring into contempt the power that has been and still is being exercised in behalf of honest reform? Is it by the press, claiming to be republican in principle, indulging in severe strictures upon the Administration, regardless of truth, and which bear one impress, evidently prompted by the goadings of personal disappointment, and which betray a design of their representatives, to seek personal revenge? Or is it by originating an organization under the specious cry of reform, which recognizes as its leaders, men steeped in political infamy and crime? Men who lost power and influence in the present state of organized political parties because of their political corruption and betrayal of trust? Surely not. We are in favor of reform. We want it thorough, and in a manner that will work the nation's weal.

But we do most emphatically condemn the means and manner in which the loud mouthed reformers are trying to bring it about. We object, and caution the people to beware of reform movements inaugurated by disapointed, ambitious political leaders whose career has been as precarious as the weather cock on the steeple, and who are not prompted in their efforts, so much by motives of honest reform, as they are by a desire to be restored to political power and influence, last by their own political villainy. Madam Roland on her way to the Scaffold said, "O liberty, what crimes are committed in thy name." With equal truth we may say, what base and oppressive systems of political policy may be inaugurated? What agencies of political corruption elevated to power, under the specious cry of Reform? The present reform movement in opposition to the Administration, is fraught with fearful evil. Its success would be a direful calamity to the nation. Because it is linked with free trade; and the success of the former will necessarily be the success of the latter, which would be followed by wide spread stagnation, and ruin of the business interests of the country. Those who cry Political Reform the loudest are the most active, and hostile enemies of our manufacturing interests, and most successful free trade intriguers. Carl Schurz for instance. The movement is laid by corrupt men, and tends to the disorganization of the Republican party, in order to ensure the success of its enemies, which is its true design and object.

We congratulate the 4th Senatorial district of this State in standing by the Republican organization in the election of Mr. Gray the regular nominee, and in laying that old unpretentious, modest and retiring political fossil and lobbiest, Aleck McClure, on the shelf in so decided a manner. If Gray were not the most fit man to represent the people of that district, it was a question for them, and which they have decided. In their decision, they honestly proclaim, that the election of M'Clure would have been worse for them, and have given a most wholesome rebuke, to the specious Reform movement under the lead of such men as Aleck McClure. Below we give a condensed view of the *Press* concerning

ALECK McCLURE.

The *Sunday Transcript*, Democratic, is exceedingly severe upon Col. M'Clure. It makes him out to be one of the worst men (if not the very worst), morally and politically, in the State. There is danger that such extreme denunciation may react. The New York *Standard* is more prudent. It says enough, and that is always better than too much. It treats the assertion of the *Press* that McClure favors Grant as idle, and adds, "Every issue of the New York *Tribune* and the New York *Sun* showed that such is not the case. These papers, like the *Age* and a hundred Democratic sheets, heartily support Mr. McClure, and plead for his election. Would they do so if McClure was a Grant man? They know that he is a wily, unscrupulous and persistent enemy of the Administration, and that he will do all he can to prevent the renomination of Gen. Grant, to which the Republicans of the State through their convention stand pledged. His election would be hailed throughout the land by every disappointed editor and politician as a triumph over the President.

"The reform movement that has Col. McClure as a candidate must be a snare and a cheat. No man is so well known in the lobbies of the Legislature at Harrisburg as McClure, and no man is better appreciated than he is. The idea that he alone can carry to that place all the virtues that should adorn it, is too laughable to be seriously argued. If the Reformers of the Fourth district have no better man than M'Clure to bear their standard the sooner they dissolve the better. The Reformers of New York would have had as good an argument, if they had renominated all the Tammanyite Assemblymen who framed our present charter

"McClure, in brief, is a selfish, scheming politician, who would betray his trust if he could benefit himself, and who is not worthy of a seat in a Senate equally divided, where his opportunities for mischief would be commensurate with his ability to make it."

We clip the following from the Huntingdon *Globe* of Jan. 30th, 1772:

We feel as much interest in the election in Philadelphia to day as we have in any contest for years, simply because it opens up a movement in the right direction to reform party organizations. Party organizations are very right, and must always exist, but an organization of plunderers, thieves and murderers claiming to be a Republican organization and controlling nominations and elections, should be put down. We hope the grand movement of the "reformers" in the Fourth District may be crowned with success to-day.

The above we think comes with ill grace, from a *professed* Republican Journal. Its tone is characteristic of the "grand movement" of our *modern reformers*. Its language must have been copied from some old file of the Democratic *Watchman*, or Brick Pomroy's La Crosse *Democrat*, when they teemed with treasonable sentiment and vile denunciation, of the Administration and Government.

The language is harsh, and the charges made unfounded, and smack loudly, of disappointed ambition, seeking revenge. It applauds, and wishes God speed to the reform movement in the Fourth District Phila., or rather to the success of Aleck M'Clure. It says that the Republican Organization should be put down. How? By the election of such *honorable, hightoned, upright, honest*, and successful lobbiest, politicians as Aleck M'Clure, the reformer, (in the *Globe's* eyes,) to power. On the same principle the *Globe* no doubt, would, and we think justifiably too, advocate the dethronement of President Grant, and that Jeff Davis, who cries political reform, should be elected to fill the Presidential chair, at the next election.

From the tenor of the *Globe* we think it does not desire reform so much, as it desires to see somebody hurt. We take pleasure in calling the *Globes* attention to the fact that the people of the Fourth District, did not think they needed reform so greatly as to entrust, Aleck M Clure, the *Globes* "Beau Ideal" of a reformer, with the grave responsibility of effecting it for them. We are sorry, on the *Globe's* account, that they couldn't see it. Perhaps the *Globe* could find its "grand reform" if it were to do, as did the aged swine, return to its wallow in the mire—the old Democratic party, whence it so recently emerged.

It will be absurd for McClure to contest Grays election. The probability is that Gray and his friends acted as fairly as did McClure and his friends. It is well known that large sums of money were raised in Philadelphia and New York to carry the District for McClure, and that several strong corporations used their influence to the same end. In a strict sense there was as much corruption in this as there probably was in Gray's operations. This being the fact, nothing can be gained by a contest—and the effort to unseat McClure of bitterness, without gaining for him any compensating advantages. If Mr. McClure has sagacious friends, as is generally understood to be the case, they will advise him against the absurd course he proposes to take.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch.*

Ohio loses annually $3,000,000 in sheep killed by dogs, and nearly $1,000,000 in injuries. The sheep of Illinois and Maryland are being rapidly thinned out in the same way, the former State having fallen in two years from the sixth to the ninth rank among the States in the number and value of its sheep from this cause.

The Board of Aldermen, of Cincinnati, having failed to authorize the Mayor to invite the Grand Duke Alexis, prominent citizens on Saturday took the matter in hand with the intention of doing in a private way what would have been done had there been favorable municipal action.

THE RING FRIGHTENED.—The corrupt Ring that has controlled State and city nominations, must have been badly frightened at the time of the meeting of the State Convention at Harrisburg last week. Simon hastened home from Washington, and a resolution was passed by the committee urging the Republican voters of the Fourth District to defeat McClure in the Senate—a United States Senator is to be elected next winter, and McClure is not a Simon man.—*Huntingdon Globe.*

—There was no meeting of the State Convention any where last week. The Republican State Committee met at Harrisburg, but there was no resolution offered or any action taken in reference to the Senatorial election in Philadelphia. The editor of the *Globe* we believe, claims to be a member of the State Committee, and ought to know something of its deliberations; but he does not or is utterly regardless of truth, one or the other.—*Blair County Radical.*

TOMBSTONE WARNINGS.—Two-thirds of the epitaphs we read are those of the young and middle-aged. Why is this? It is because the present system of practice tends to shorten life, by depressing the vital powers. Away with violent purgation! Away with salivants! Away with poisonous alkaloids, that sap the springs of life! *Hoofland's German Bitters*, charged with strength-sustaining, purifying regulating vegetable extracts, and *Hoofland's German Tonic*, combining with these a genial stimulant, are the true and sovereign specifics for all complaints of the stomach, the liver and the nervous system. Graves would be fewer and health more general, if they were in universal use. Principal Depot 631 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by druggists throughout the country.

A CASE arises in Maryland, says the Phila. *Press*, which very curiously illustrates the clash of civilizations which sometimes takes place in this country. As a common custom, a Catholic gentleman left a handsome bequest to a priest for the saying of masses for the soul of the testator. The assessor demanded of the priest a collateral inheritance tax on the amount of the bequest, which was refused. The clergyman contends that the saying of masses is a valuable consideration, and that the bequest, which in this case was land, was not technically a bequest, but a valid sale for a value. The internal-revenue officials, however, hold otherwise, and the case goes up for the decision of Secretary Boutwell.

Many people, particularly children, suffer with the ear ache; and for the benefit of such we give a sure but simple remedy. Put in two or three drops of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment*, stop the ear with undressed wool, bathe the feet in warm water before going to bed, and keep the head warm at night.

Capt. Charles Sager, who keeps a superb stock of livery horses in Portland, Me., informed us recently that he uses *Sheridan's Cavelry Condition Powders* regularly in his stables, and that the expense is more than an offset by the diminished amount of grain necessary to keep his horses always in good order.

An English clergyman recently preached a sermon from the text, "Man is born unto trouble as the sparks fly upward." The following is a verbatim report of it:

"1. A man's ingress into the world is naked and bare;
2. His progress through the world is trouble and care;
3. And his egress out of the world is—nobody knows where!"

To conclude:

"If we do well here, we shall do well there—

I can tell you no more if I preach a whole year."

THERE are forty-six lawyers in the Ohio Legislature, thirty-eight farmers, fifteen merchants, thirteen physicians, eight editors, three manufacturers, two ministers, two bankers, two insurance men, one mechanic, one cabinet maker, one auditor, one miner, manufacturer and farmer, one lumber merchant, one real estate dealer, and teacher, and hotel keeper, one carpenter, one hardware merchant and one blacksmith.

The other day a crazy chap got into the gallery of the House of Representatives at Washington during a debate on the tariff, and was taken out by the Sergeant-at-Arms, who told him that he was out of his place in that gallery. "That's so," said the lunatic, "I ought to be down there among the free-traders." Not so crazy as he seemed.

HAL SPIVY, colored, murdered two of his companions, a few nights ago, at League Station, on the Mississippi Central Railroad. They had been employed on a construction train, and having been paid off, were indulging in a game of cards. Hal lost his money, then murdered the winners, robbed them and escaped.

Over thirty of the Unitarian preachers now living are said to have come from "Evangelical" denominations, chiefly the Methodists and Trinitarian Congregationalists.

Mr. Thomas Collingwood died at his residence in Meadville, on Saturday week last, aged seventy-six years.

### The Wickedest Man.

CHICAGO CLAIMS THE CHAMPION BELT, AND OFFERS PROOF IN VINDICATION OF THE CLAIM.

A reporter of the Chicago *Evening Post* has found the champion brute of the hemisphere. He is a Badener by birth, his name is Mathias Hoffseis, and he lives, when out of jail, in one end of a shanty built on the site of the old rebel prison barracks, between Cottage Grove and the lake, south of Thirty-first street.

Hoffseis has a wife and two children, the other nine born alive during a wedded perdition of thirteen years having all died, generally of neglect or abuse.—Hoffseis is always in liquor or jail, his getting out of one exactly coinciding with his getting into the other.

"How many times has Hoffseis knocked you down?" asked our reporter.

"Oh, I do not know," was the reply of the sad-eyed woman, "every time, all the time—when I left him come close to me I run."

"What does he strike you with?"

"Everyding; fist, board, saw, mallet—anyding he get."

Hereupon the woman produced a suit of poor clothes that this brute had just cut off from her. He asked her for money. She put him off with an evasive answer. Whereupon Hoffseis, a perfect Samson in strength, seized her, threw her on the floor, put his knees on her, got his razor in his hand, and slashed her clothes down through with the keen blade from neck to heel, clear to the skin! He told her he would kill her if she screamed. The children stood by trembling. Then he slashed crosswise, cutting her in one or two places; then stripped the clothes off her, and she retreated to the bed. Then the fiend coolly took her mutilated dress, found the pocket, cut it out with one mad dash of the razor, and left with all the money that was in the house.

"I have supported my husband for five years," said the poor woman; "he is good for nottin since he got to de var. He do no vork. I buy dis house. I go to vash and git vittals for him and children. He beat me ven I don't give money for beer; den he beat me ven I do."

On further inquiry the fact was learned that this champion brute was a joiner and carpenter; that his wife had bought him a dozen sets of tools at different times, and he had always pawned them for liquor; that she had paid his fines and got him out of jail many times; that during the last two years he has been in the hands of the police every month or two; that he was in the habit, during his more amiable moments, of going down and picking up wood along the lake shore, carrying it home and *selling* it to his wife to cook *his* dinner from the food which *she* had bought! He occasionally put in a window pane or added a bit of siding to his house, and for this labor he charged her by the hour! Then he would go in and rest—and take a drink.

When the last babe was two weeks old—in September last—he threw a teakettle full of boiling water at the mother and child. It landed on the bed, and scalded them painfully. Two days after, the little one breathed its last, and departed from that wretched home.

One night in December Hoffseis threw a hatchet at his wife; she dodged and fled from the house, and she feared to go back and took refuge in the open cellar. She thought she should freeze to death, but finally made her way by another entrance to the children's bed room

Mrs. Hoffseis is a sober, industrious, peaceable woman. Hoffseis happens to be in jail at this time, and she desires to get a divorce; but she is poor, and the high price charged, $75, is an impediment. Here is an opportunity for some benevolent citizen to do a good thing, by assisting in the release of a most worthy woman from a relation where her life is constantly in danger.

ALASKA.—Where on this globe can we go beyond the omnipresent Yankee? Lancing at Sitka, we had walked but a short distance into the town when we reached the northern depot of Dr. Ayer's medicines in full display among the huts, shanties and courts of these boreal tribes. There the familiar, homelike names of his Cherry Pectoral, Pills, &c, salute us from the exterior and the interior of a store which shows more business than its neighbors, and proves that these simple but sure remedies are even more necessary to savage life than to ourselves where they visit every fireside. [Correspondent Alexand. Journal.

In New York the commission of Appeals in the case of Rawson against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have decided that the limitation liability to $100 for the loss of baggage is not a contract, and have awarded to the plaintiff $4,000 damages for his baggage lost by the defendants.

A Democratic paper is discussing the question whether men ever have spontaneous attacks of hydrophobia. Not in their normal condition, but after they have been inoculated with Democracy it is quite likely they do.

A Newburyport (Mass.) woman lately became the happy mother of triplets, one of which has black hair, one red and the other white. She won't have to tie pieces of ribbon on them to know them apart.

William Thompson, aged eighty, once the wealthest banker of New Orleans, and Gen. Jackson's adjutant, was found by the police in a small office in Broadway, New York, recently "sick destitute, and starving," and was removed to the hospital; and thus it is every day.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Jan. 26.—Charles Wright, who was convicted of murder in the second degree for killing Devine on the night of July 3, in a bar room fight in Altoona, was sentenced to-day to five and a half years in the penitentiary.

Both Houses of the Missouri Legislature have unanimously passed a bill authorizing St. Louis to issue $1,365,000 in bonds for the extension and protection of the water works.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned, to come forward without delay and settle their accounts. As he has sold out his entire interest in the mercantile business, he desires to settle, if possible, without making costs. Office with the District Attorney, in the Court House.

6-3t JOS. DEVLING.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the Estate of Jesse Cowher, late of Worth Township, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned on the 29th day of Jan. 1871, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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NOTICE.—The undersigned having disposed of his entire stock of Store Goods, and retired from the business now, after thanking all for their patronage and kind treatment, calls upon those having accounts with him to call and settle without delay. It is not his desire to impose costs upon any one, but wishes a prompt and speedy settlement.

4-2-tf A. STERNBERG.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Isaac Richards, dec'd, late of Huston township, were granted to the undersigned, on the 17th day of January, 1872, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

D. PARSONS,
v4n4-6t Administrator.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of James Moore Ward, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all person knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES H. RANKIN, Adm's,
v4n3-6t Bellefonte Pa.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to purchase or have anything to do with a Promissory Note, bearing date, January 12th, 1872, signed by me, payable to the order of a certain Mr. Walker or to W. J. Sager, of Milesburg, for the sum of $300, as I never received any consideration for said note, I am determined not to pay the same unless compelled by law.

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STRAY SHEEP.—Came to the premises of the subscriber in Howard twp., five head of Sheep, to wit; three lambs and two ewes. One of the lambs is a buck with horns. The mark is a small piece out of each ear, and also, on the lower side of one of the ears. The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwise they will be disposed of according to law.

T. A. LONG,
v4n3-3t. Howard, Pa.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of William Dale, late of Harris twp. dec'd. having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

THOMAS DALE, Adm'r
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the Estate of Emanuel Schenck, late of Howard twp, dec'd., were granted to the undersigned on the 6th day of January, 1872, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CHRISTAIN SCHENCK,
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Mollie B. Brisbin, dec'd., granted on the 18th day of December, to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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MRS. MARY J. B. VALENTINE, Admr'x,
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Andrew Nearhoof late of Taylor Township deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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## *Miscellaneous.*

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RESOURCES.

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| Loans and Discounts | $305,883 64 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 100,000 00 |
| Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages | 25,000 00 |
| Due from redeem'g and reserve agts. | 30,371 74 |
| " " other National Banks | 8,949 65 |
| " " " Banks and Bankers | 19,529 63 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 850 00 |
| Current Expenses | 1,851 69 |
| Taxes paid | 1,249 22 |
| Premiums paid | 37 99 |
| Cash Items (including stamps) | 4,579 26 |
| Bills of other National Banks | 3,360 00 |
| Fractional Currency (includ'g Nickel) | 228 30 |
| Legal Tender Notes | 25,055 00 |
| | $526,945 62 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
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| Capital Stock paid in | $100,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | 26,500 00 |
| Exchange | 2,610 21 |
| Interest | 12,899 97 |
| Profit and Loss | 17,156 84 |
| National Bank Circulation Outstand'g | 86,200 00 |
| Individual Deposits | 247,919 88 |
| Due to National Bank | 21,821 26 |
| " Other Banks and Bankers | 1,837 46 |
| | $526,945 62 |

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
County of Centre' SS: }

I, John P. Harris, Cashier of the First National Bank of Bellefonte, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief,

JOHN P. HARRIS, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 21st day of December, 1871.

ROLAND C. CHEESMAN, N. P

Correct Attest:
E. C. HUMES,
JAMES A. BEAVER, } DIRECTORS.
ADAM HOY,

v4n1-3t.

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### Facts about Butter---How it is made in the East.

From the "Scientific American."

Our English word butter, is derived from the Latin *butrum*, while the Lat in word is of exceedingly doubtful origin, but has most proably come from the Greek language.

It is not known positively whether butter was ever made previous to the Christian era, but in our translation of the Bible, the word butter frequently appears. In Genesis, chapter xviii v. 8, we read: "And he took butter and the calf which he had dressed and set in before them," etc. And in Deuteronomy, chapter xxxii verse 14, the phrase "butter of kine" is made use of. Also in the Book of Proverbs, chapter xxv, verse 33, we read, 'Surely the churning of milk bringeth forth butter." The word appears also in other passages. But in all these the words refer to something of a fluid nature; whenever the word 'butter' appears in the Bible it should read, according to the most biblical critics, thick milk or cream. The original Hebrew words *meete heleb* (translated churning) signify to squeeze or press. and therefore, the latter quotation above should read, "the pressing of milk bring forth milk," and this agrees better with what follows in the same passage, and the wringing of the nose bringeth forth blood."

It is not until about the birth of Christ—probably before-that we have any definite mention of butter, as we understand the word. But it appears at this time, and indeed for several centuries thereafter, that it was only used instead of oil, as an ointment or as a medicine. The ancient Burgundians were accustomed to besmear their hair with butter, and the ancient Christians of Egypt burned butter in their lamps at their alters instead of oil, a practice also accredited to the Abysinians. Butter used to be allowed instead of oil in the Catholic churches during Christmas time and this accounts for the name of "butter tower" which we find at Rouen, in Notre Dame, and elsewhere. "In A. D., 1500, George d'Amboise. Archbishop of Rouen, finding the oil foul in his diocese during Lent, permitted the use of butter in the lamps, on condition that each person should pay six deniers for the indulgence, with which sum the tower was built."

It is a very difficult matter to find out among what nation the practice of making butter originated. Some writers affirm that the ancient Scythians were acquinted with the art 400 years B. C., as did also the Indians (inhabitants of India). Plutarch speaks of a visit paid by a Lace damonion lady, to Berdice, the wife of Deitarus, and says that the one smelled so much of butter and the other perfume, that neither of them could endure the other. But this must surely have been bad butter.—Pliny says that the ancient Germans and Britans (barbarians in his time) made butter and used it as food, and ascribes the invention to these nations. And it is generally believed that the Greeks obtained their knowledge of butter from the Thracians or the Scythians, and the Romans from the Germans.

But whether the ancients knew how to make butter or not, it is quite certain that they did not know how to give it the firmness or consistency of the butter made at the present day.—"With them it was poured out like oil; with us it is cut and spread."—Their butter, too, must have been very inferior to ours in quality.

We are all acquainted with our present mode of churning; other nations have some really funny ways of making butter.

In northern Africa, in Egypt, and Arabia, the cream is put into a goat's skin turned inside out, pressed to and fro like kneading bread. And sometimes they place it on an inclined plane and let it roll to the bottom, and then replace it to run the same course.—This method, it is said, produces butter in a short time. Sometimes the skins are kneaded with the feet, as observed by Dr. Chandler while traveling in Greece.

In Bengal they churn every morning that they might have fresh butter for breakfast. They simply stir the milk rapidly with a stick. In some parts of the East they make butter of the milk of the buffalo; but this is in every way inferior to that made from cow's milk.

### Butter, Cheese and Milk.

It requires about sixteen quart of good milk to make one pound of butter, and ten quarts to make one pound of cheese.

It is often a question with farmers, how they can best dispose of their dairy products. If we consider that the pork produced from the buttermilk or whey pays for the extra trouble involved in the care of butter and cheese, the account will stand about as follows, when butter is selling at forty cents per pound, cheese at eleven cents, and milk at three cents per quart.

One pound of butter—16 quarts of milk—40 cents, or 2 1-2 cents per qt. for milk.

One pound of cheese—10 quarts of milk—11 cents, or 2 1-11 cent per qt. for milk.

In order to pay three cents per quart for milk consumed, the pound of cheese would have to be sold at thirty cents, or one pound of butter at fifty cents.

In the neighborhood of large cities milk will command even better prices than the above, as it is frequently worth five cents per quart; this would bring the value of the pound of butter up to eighty cents and the cheese to fifty cents.

A farmer can judge from these figures which is the most profitable business for him, the prices being in all cases those which can be obtained on the farm. If the articles are to be delivered, the ratios may be somewhat changed.

For a person living a long distance from market, or where the means of communication are slow and uncertain, cheese will most likely be the only available means of reaching market. For those living near to market, with good facilities for reaching it, butter is the best paying product.

In order to make milk pay, the market must not be over two or three hours' distance from the farm. Many railroads, however, equalize the rates of freight on milk, charging all their customers the same price, whether they live ten or thirty miles from the city.

### Science in Farming.

We go for science every time in Horticulture as well as in Agriculture. Why shouldn't we?

If there is anything that can effect impossibillities in nature, it certainly must be science as illustrated by some—ass in the field, and endorsed by another in the editorial chair. We recently stumbled upon the following article, in an old number of an agricultural paper, no longer published in Western New York, and submit the same for the consideration of our readers:

"Cultivating Plums.—If the soil has been previously cultivated, which it ought always to be, commence by digging a hole three feet in diameter, and fifteen inches deep. Over the bottom of this, place either thick, well set, turf inverted, or offal from the shambles, and fill up with compost made of ten bushels of clay, three of leather scraps, two of ashes, one of salt, two of old plaster from the walls of buildings, one of gypsum and a little copperas, the whole saturated with urine and soap suds and rendered fine and mellow by fermentation."

Now we count that a pretty good filling up for a hole "three feet in diameter by fifteen inches deep." Such a hole measures less than eight and three-fifths bushels in capacity, and yet, after placing "over the bottom, thick, well-set turf, or offal from the shambles," we are advised to fill up with a compost of nineteen bushels.—Science is science. "That's all I say.

TO CLEAN SILVER.—Wash in hot suds (use the silver soap if convenient) then clean with a paste of whiting and whisky. Polish with buckskin. If silver was always washed in hot suds, rinsed well, and wiped dry, it would seldom need anything else.


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## AN APPEAL!

To Debilitated Persons,
To Dispeptics,
To Sufferers from Liver Complaint,
To those having no Appetite,
To those with broken down Constitutins
To Nervous People,
To Children Wasting Away,
To any with debilitated digesti'e Organs

*Or suffering with any of the following Symptoms, which indicate Disordered Stomach or Liver.*

such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness or Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and difficult breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Fever and Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits.

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A Bitters without Alcohol or Spirits of any kind.

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HON. JAS. THOMPSON, *Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania,*

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1867.

I consider "Hoofland's German Bitters" a valuable medicine in case of attacks of indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my own experience of it.
Yours, with respect, JAS. THOMPSON.

HON. GEORGE SHARSWOOD, *Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.*

PHILADELPHIA, June 1, 1868.

I have found by experience that "Hoofland's German Bitters" is a very good tonic, relieving dyspeptic symptoms almost directly.
GEORGE SHARSWOOD

HON. JAS. M. WOOD, *Ex-Mayor of Williamsport, Pa.*

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Or Wasting away of the Body.
REMEMBER
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## A PAPER FOR THE PEOPLE!

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BELLEFONTE, PA.

**Wednesday Morning, February 7, 1872.**


### NEWSPAPER LAWS.

We would call the special attention of postmasters and our subscribers to the followinw synopsis of the newspaper laws:

1. A postmaster is required to give notice by letter, (returning a paper does not answer the law,) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its so being taken; and a neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper faom the post-office, whether directed to his name or another's, or whether he has subscribed or not, reponsible for the payment.

3. If a person orders his paper to be discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until the payment is made.

4. If the subscriber orders the paper to be stopped at a certain time, and the publisher continues to send it, the subscriber is bound to pay for it. If he takes it out of the post-office. The law proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses.

5. The Courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers and periodicals from the post-office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima-facie evidence of intentional fraud.

Go to O'Bryans for home-made furniture.

WOLVES and other wild beasts are unusually numerous and bold in Clearfield county.

DR. S. BELFORD, will be found in his office, to remain three week's from this date. All persons wishing Dental work done. Please give him a call.

JOSEPH SNIVELY, of Franklin county, and Levi Merkle, of Cumberland county, are two of the surviving members of the last Constitutional Convention.

A DOZEN or more of newspapers say this in their local columns: A young lady sends us the following recipe, "How to prevent chappy cheeks: Have nothing to do with cheeky chaps."

GOOD.—Snow fell on Friday night last to the depth of about 10 inches. Since then the sleighs have been running, the merry bells ringing, and the *sports* injoying themselves prodigiously. Oh! for a horse. "My kingdom for a horse."

ENTERPRISE.—We understand that a Lumber Association was organized in Howard, on Monday last. Capital stock $40,000. Mr. Joseph Devling, was elected President, Wm. P. Mitchell, Sect'y.; and Jno. Liggitt, of Beech Creek, Treas. We wish this company success.

SOME days ago a man in the Selins grove bank would have used the cancelling hammer of that institution on the head of the editor of the *Times*, if a bystander had not interposed his arm. An exchange wonders what in the world the editor have been doing in the bank.

TAILORING.—One of the best tailors in this town or county is Wm. S. Tripple He makes the best fits, and does the best sewing that is done anywhere in the county. Mr. Tripple, is a gentleman in every sense of the word. People wanting good fits and good clothes, will do well to call on him.

CONFEREES.—James H. Rankin, Ed. Blanchard and J. G. Love, Esqs., left our town yesterday for Huntingdon, to meet the Conferees of this Senatorial District, The object of course is to elect a Senatorial delegate to the State Convention. Mr. Blanchard, goes as a substitute for W. P. Wilson, and J. G Love, as a substitute for the Editor of this paper.

THE time and place for holding the meeting for the purpose of forming a Republican ticket for Spring twp, for the ensuing Spring election has been changed.

The meeting will be held at Weaver's School House, on Saturday evening, February 10th at 7 o'clock.

A full attendance is requested.

J. D. MILLER, Chairman Com.

BALL.—The colored people of this town have determined to hold a ball in Bush's Hall on the 13th inst. These men have raised a first class "Silver Cornet Band," and all the proceeds of the ball, are to be appropriated to the purchase of instruments. We enter our plea in behalf of these people. We hope every citizen of the town will buy a ticket. Hon. P. G. Meek will purchase one, we know, for he is moving heaven and earth, to secure the colored vote. It is no use Meek. Your race is run.

MAILED NEWSPAPERS.—By a recent decision of the Postoffice Department the law regarding sending newspapers by mail has been more clearly defined than it has heretofore stood. No name or memorandum can be made on a newspaper inside of the wrapper on which the address is written. It is barely permissible to mark an article with pen or pencil. More than this subjects the paper to letter postage, and the violator of the law to a fine. No printed card, handbill or advertisement, no written notice, letter, or slip of any kind whatsoever must be folded in the paper. To do any of these things is to violate the law. Printed slips pasted on the outside or folded in papers or periodicals, soliciting notices, are also violations of the law. Senders of transient papers can send bundles of printed matter by weight, or transient postage charges, but must not send any written matter in such bundles.

SAD ACCIDENT.—An accident occurred on the first inst., by which John A. Woodward, Esq., lost his left hand and part of the arm. Mr. Woodward, a son-in-law of the late Gov. Wm. F. Packer, resides on the old "Homestead farm" where Gov. Packer was born, a short distance from Howard Borough, this county. Mr. Woodward, on the morning of the casualty, was engaged in feeding a Fodder-cutter which was propelled by horse power. He was cutting Hay and was feeding with the left hand on which was a buck skin glove rather large for his hand. He grasped a bunch of hay which he deemed too large to pass between the cylenders, for the purpose of separating it, while his hand was closed on the hay the rollers caught the glove and drew his hand between the cylenders and under the knives. The machine continuing to run 'till his hand and wrist were cut in pieces of three quarters of an inch long, above the wrist joint, while in this position he ordered the break to be put on, the strap thrown off, and the wheel reversed. There orders obeyed he extricated himself from this perilous situation, took hold of his lacerated arm, compressed the arteries as well as possible and went into the house. Meeting Mrs. Woodward, he precautioned her against excitement, told her to keep calm and bring some bandages "I have cut my arm off." She ejaculated "Oh! John," and proceeded at once to get the bandages and while the blood from the torn arteries was thrown ten or twelve feet at every pulsation, she put compresses on the arm above the elbow and while he caught an artery that was still bleeding freely, she twisted a silk string and tied it, he holding it out with his thumb and finger.

Such resolution, presence of mind and indomitable firmness in both man and wife, under such appalling circumstances are not often witnessed. Such firm as well as intelligent conduct on the part of a lady under such circumstances deserves *all* praise, and favorable mention should also, be made of the presence of mind, heroism and courage of Mr. Woodward.

He sat in a chair holding his arm until Drs. Dorworth and Hensyl arrived, who were anxious to render every assistance in the line of their profession that was needed. They deemed it prudent to await the arrival of Dr. Dobbins, of this place who had been sent for, and when he arrived they proceeded at once to amputate the bruised limb. The surgical part is said to have been very skillfully performed. Mr. Woodward, we are glad to state is getting along as well as could be expected.

FIRE.—Notwithstanding our wish that the members of the Logan and Undine fire companies might grow old, before there should be any fire in this town, the cry of fire went up on last Monday night about 11 o'clock, and five stables were burned to ashes, and two houses belonging to Edward Brown, Esq., badly damaged. Fire under any circumstances is appalling; but on Monday night last it was fearful. The fire companies worked well. They did all that men could do yet, the stables burned and for a few minutes it looked, as though that whole portion of the town, must yield to the devouring element.

The firemen worked energetically—as firemen only can work, and they were finally cheered, by seeing their labors rewarded in the successful extinguishment of the flames. Two horses belonging to Mr. Henry Hoover, perished in the flames. This is, indeed, a sad affair as Mr. Hoover has a large family, and no way to fupport them, only as he earned it from day to day with his team. Let the good people of Bellefonte subscribe money, at once to purchase him another team. Mr. Brown, had no insurance upon his houses. His loss is heavy. The stables which, were burnrd, belongs to B. V. Black, Cyrus Strickland, Jacob Ettelle, Michael Howard of the Farmers Hotel and Edward Brown. We have not learned the amount of insurance on the stables.

DEATH FROM VACCINATION.—That death may be caused by vaccination from the premature use of virus, can not be denied. We give below a statement of a death produced in this manner. The item is taken from the Morrow county, (Ohio) *Register* of January 20th:

"Death from rather a singular cause resulted to one of the citizens of Perry township, this county, on Friday morning last. As near as we can learn them, the facts are as follows: Mr. Samuel Miller and his wife, residing not far from North Woodbury, were being visited at their home by their son and his family, on Sunday, the 7th inst. The old gentleman Mr. Miller—concluded to be vaccinated with virus from the little girl's arm, which had been operated on by the doctor not long before. So Mr. Miller had his son pierce his arm with a pocket knife, and from his daughter's arm virus was taken and placed in Mr. Miller's arm, which resulted in his death in less than a week, as the virus taken from the girl's arm was used before the laws of nature permitted. Mr. Miller's wife was vaccinated in the same way, and at the present time is in a very low condition."

Go to hear Murdoch, to night.

"QUENCH NOT THE SPIRIT."—The following letter received by Rev. J. Mullin, Pastor of the M. E. Church in this place, will speak for itself. It illustrates in a most tearful manner, the danger of striving against the Holy Spirit. Let careless sinners read and seriously ponder its contents, and resolve to seek a precious Jesus, and thus escape the agony which gathers around and rends the soul when forsaken by the spirit of the blessed God:

BELLEFONTE, Sabbath eve., Feb. 4th.

MR. MULLIN:

*Dear Sir*:—Will you permit one who to you is a stranger, to presume to address you. Knowing your desire to bring sinners to repentence and the hope that what I am about to write, may help you to appeal even stronger to their consciences, if it were possible, and that those words may bring some soul to Christ, is my only excuse for this liberty. 'Tis midnight, and I am sitting as I have sat many nights before, thinking, yes thinking. until my brain turns almost wild, and my soul cries out in very despair: Lost, lost, eternally lost! O, to believe and feel that your doom is sealed, and that you are sinking into the ocean of the damned, and unable to appeal to any helper, is indeed enough to drive reason from her throne, and rend the soul with torture. But I am not yet in the regions of darkness, yet, is not this darkness enough? I have climbed that hill to the church in company with a friend who I so much desired to see converted, though out of Christ myself. I cannot bear to see others doomed to death. I would gather up every soul and carry them to the foot of the cross could I do so. It does me good and affords me moments of relief when I see penitents going to the altar; but when I know that they are staying away grieving the spirit that strives with them, I feel that I must cry out to them and warn them not to sip from the bitter cup from which I have drank, for lo! these ten years. And yet I would not charge God with injustice, nor Jesus as a respector of persons. O, no! If I am damned, if my soul must writhe in Hell, all through the dark and endless years of eternity, God is clear, Christ is clear! I look upon it as just if it must be so. Sometimes this has driven me almost into the paths of infidelity. But who dare say there is no God? I am only suffering the penalty of grieving the spirit, and it is suffering indeed; physical torture cannot be compared with it, this I know by experience. O, Mr. Mullen, as a minister sent from God, bear with me while I write. Make this an example to sinners to-morrow evening if you wish—warn them of the danger of striving against the spirit that is calling them every day, every hour. If they could realize the danger. If I had language to describe the horrible experience, the bitter, bitter agony of mind, the rending asunder of the heartstrings, that resulteth after quaffing from the cup of which I have tasted the dregs, methinks they would fly, and not delay another moment. To grieve the good spirit of God, is a fearful thing, indeed. Oh! methinks I have felt willing to be suspended by a hairs breadth over the regions of the lost—to look upon death with all its gloom to suffer even deeper affliction than I have already suffered—anything at all that would awaken hope and feeling in my heart. I have sought relief in hard study, when driven from books, have engaged in the mercantile business, and gone from there to the stage, seeking to forget by living upon that empty thing—"Public approbation." But, alas! what a void they all contain. I have been told that I have no need to dispair, my life having been so strictly moral. Oh, morality, thou too art but a hideous mockery! Mocking and deceiving thousands in and into hell! Soon will morning dawn; but I have thought if I could pen one word to-night that would be deemed worthy your notice and use; then have I done a duty that I could not otherwise have done. I feel for poor sinners. Yes I do. I would not have them suffer what I have suffered although only a young lady. Wishing you health and strength to endure your labors, I bid you a kind adieu.

E. H.

LITTLE LIDIE.—A few week's since her soul took its flight to realms of bliss. She was a christian in every sense of the word. She lived the Christians life, she died the Christians death. She is now singing the hallelujahs of the redeemed in heaven. On last Friday, little Joe, who has been afflicted for years, said to his mother "I am going home." He died. He passed over the river—the Jordan of death to that happy land, where all the believers in Christ find repose. The following lines on the death of Lidie Sourbeck, has been handed us for publication by a friend:

**SHE HATH PASSED AWAY.**

Dear Lidie hast left us, and gone to her home,
Where death never enters and pain cannot come;
Then why do we mourn and shed tears of grief,
She has passed through the skies—gained a happy release.

She hath left us and gone to the land on high,
Where the heart knows no sorrow, the lips breath no sigh;
She is better, by far, in the land of the blest,
Where she never will weary, but be ever at rest.

Here loved ones will miss her, her fairylike form,
Will never more cheer or that home adorn;
Never more will she lean on the kind, loving breast,
Where she loved so to linger and her aching head rest.

In life she was gentle, kind, loving and sweet,
Winning the hearts of all she did meet;
In death she was peaceful, calm and serene.
Bright angels were hovoring over the scene.

Her trials are o'er, her suffering past,
She was a flower too frail for earth's blest;
Her Father in Heaven sent down from above,
And took her to his arms in his kingdom of love.

And now she's sleeping in the silent grave,
Beautiful flowers may over it wave;
And those who bend o'er it and drop memory's tear,
Remember her dust is all that lies here.

And to the mourning friends she has left behind
May they be so happy that haven to find;
There loved ones will meet them on the banks of the river,
In the sunlight of God they'll be happy forever,

H. M. C.

MURDOCH, the greatest Shakspearean of the age.

Reported for the REPUBLICAN.

THE SAFEGUARDS MEETING.—The meeting of the Bellefonte Safeguards, held in the "Wigwam" last Thursday evening, passed off apparently very much to the delight and satisfaction of the large gathering of young people as well as older persons present.

The exercises were interspersed with singing by a quartette and by the Safeguards which added much to the interest of the meeting. The good attention which was given to the three short and appropriate addresses was highly complimentary to our "home talent." The recitations by the Safeguards were well preformed.

On the black-board was written in large letters.

SAFEGUARDS,

Do not use intoxicating drinks of any kind, or tobacco in any form.

SAFEGUARDS,

Believe that

"Wine is a mocker,
Strong drink is raging,
Whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise,
At the last it biteth like a serpent,
And stingeth like an adder."

PURPOSE.

We will endeavor to *guard* ourselves against the dangers of intemperance.

We will endeavor to *guard* our companions agaiust intemperate practices.

We will pray God that all may be *safely guarded* against the evils of intemperance.

The following resolution was passed.

*Resolved*, That we invite the superintendent of the several Sabbath Schools of Bellefonte, to serve as a comittee that shall have the general direction and oversight of our public meetings and of any other business that may require their counsel and cooperation.

Faom the success of this meeting, we are encouraged to hope that another will soon be arranged.

The objects sought by the Safeguards are such as should secure for them the encouragement of all.

For the REPUBLICAN.

**ON THE GRAVE OF MARY WEAVER**

BY SHADY.

I stood beside the silent grave,
Sweet oders breathed around;
And music in the pine-trees wave,
Passed with a lulling sound.

All happy things that love the sun,
In the bright air glanced by;
And a glad murmur seemed to run
Through the soft azure sky.

Green leaves were on the ivy bough,
That fringed the marble round;
Young voices were abroad, but thou
Lay sleeping in the ground.

And mournful grew my heart for thee,
Thou fair whose girlish mind;
The ray that brightened earth and sky,
The light of love was shrined.

For who that gazes on the stone,
Which marks your resting spot;
Who, but a mother's love hath known,
The one love changing not.

Not so—I will not bow me so,
To thoughts that breath despair,
A loftier faith we need below,
Life's farewell words to bear.

Surely, on lovlier things, I said
Thou must have looked e're now;
Than all that round our pathway shed,
Odors and hues below.

The shadows of the tomb are here,
Yet beautiful is earth,
What see'st thou then, where no dim fear,
No haunting dream hath birth.

Here a vain love to passing things,
Thou gav'st; but where thou art
In that bright land where angel's sing,
Thou hast a golden harp.

Thou hast left sorrow on our breast,
A sorrow sad and deep;
But from thy labors thou has rest,
We would'nt disturb thy sleep.

A faithful teacher of the young mind,
For years thou did'st employ.
All thy powers, to guide and find
Eternal bliss and joy."

For the REPUBLICAN.

MESSRS EDITORS:—SHOPE'S SCHOOL:—some time since an article appeared in your paper, censuring teachers for not handing in a report of their schools for publication. And believing it to be conducive to the advancement of the pupils, I herewith send you a report of my school for the two first months ending Jan. 17th, which you will please insert in the local columns of your valuable journal.

Number of pupils enrolled 30; average number in attendance 23; number of pupils in fourth reader 6; third reader 5; second reader 7; first reader 4; spelling on the book 6; spelling off the book 24; grammar 3; geography 4; mental arithemetic 18; written arithmetic 14; composition and declamation 19; vocal music by the whole school. Two of the pupils, Minnie Poorman and Clara Shope were in attendance every day; and Wm. Aiman, Bows Poorman, Joseph Shope, Harvey Shope, Jennie Wagner and Emma Shope, were absent only one and one half days, Number of visits to the school 15. I expect to furnish you with a more creditable report of the next two months. Yours &c.

J. C. WEAVER, Teacher.

THE local Editor of the *Watchman* seems to be considerably troubled about a certain organization known as the "La Belle" sociable. In the last issue he asks us not to all speak at once, in consequence of which I will act as spokesman. "Circumstances alter cases," the above named organization is of a private and secret nature, in short they select their company and the ones who are not fortunate enough to be considered or become one of that society often "bark before they are bitten," "don't all spake at once." More anon.

One of the L. B. S.

DON'T miss Murdoch, to night.

PERSONAL.—Mr. James N. Van Ormer paid our office a visit last week. We thank you James for your visit; but we are sorry to learn that your intentions are to leave Millheim. Poor Millheim! This is what has always kept her back—about a fourth or fifth rate town. There are a few good men in Millheim. For instance; there is J. D. Foot, Esq., Samuel Sivels, Jonathan Kreamer, &c., but they, with all their energy are not able to keep up the town, and mend the breeches made by such men as live in large brick houses, and pretend to do business there. Mr. Van Ormer, we understand, leaves Millheim in the spring and moves to Woodward. Millheim will lose one of the best millers in Centre county; but Woodward will gain what Millheim loses. We are sorry for Millheim; but she deserves no better fate. In the whole township of Penn, there are but about thirty-six Republicans. They are good and true men; but the Democrats are all for free trade, and the result is, that they have a one horse town, and cannot even keep a good miller when they get one. Free trade, will yet be the ruin of all Pennsvalley. We do not pity them much, for we have warned them, times without number, and up to this writing they have passed said warnings by, without notice—or perhaps we should say unheeded. We pity these people. We cannot refrain; but yet we are constrained to copy the couplet which runs thusly—

"Where ignorance is bliss,
'Tis folly to be wise."

We are really rejoiced to learn that Mr. Van Ormer is going to Woodward in the spring. He is a choice spirit. Too good to remain in Millheim. We congratulate Mr. Weidensaul on his good judgment and can assure him that the Woodward mills will gain all the Millheim people will lost.

ADVERTISING PUBLIC SALES.—In some of the neighboring counties, in looking over the leading newspapers of those localities, we find them filling an entire page with sales of personal property, or farm stock, to be sold the coming spring. In Centre county this kind of enterprise is not practiced to so large an extent. The advertisement in a largely circulated newspaper like the REPUBLICAN goes home into every intelligent family, where the husband, wife and children will read over carefully your advertisement, and frequently the wife or children may want your horse, cow, pigs, or perhaps some other article that never would be thought of other-wise by the husband. You will then get an extra bidder to your sales, who may pay more additional for a single article than the cost of advertising, and few such interested customers may get up a spirit of bidding that may increase your sale hundreds of dollars. These public sales are a thing of rare occurrence with the farmer, perhaps once in a life time; it is, therefore, not so well understood as some other parts of his business in which he has more experience. In all business we must risk some; to realize largely you must plow and put seed in the ground before you can harvest. The business man must risk his capital before he reaps his profits. When you make public sales you must advertise so that the entire community will see and become interested in everything you offer for sale. This is the way to be successful and get good, profitable bidders.

Go to O'Bryan's furniture store for good and cheap furniture.

"HOW TO GO WEST."—Forty years ago, Illinois was as far West as most people wished to go, and journeys were made in the legendary "Prairie Schooner," but in these days of Progress and Improvement, the word West has come to mean Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, California and the Territories, and the Traveler reaches almost any point therein by a splendid Line of Railroad.

This Line of Railroad is the Burlington Route, which starts from Chicago over the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R., from Indianapolis over the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Wester Short Line, and from Logansport, over the Toledo, Peoria & Warsaw R. R., and running through BURLINGTON, reaches Omaha, Lincoln, Nebraska City, St, Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth and Kansas City, connecting with the Union Pacific, Kansas, Pacific and other Railroads running from those cities.

Always go "By way of Burlington," and you will be sure to be right,

The Burlington Route has admirably answered the question, "How to go West?" by the publication of a truthful and interesting document, filled with facts in regard to Time, Connections, Accommodations, rates of Fare and other interesting items, and illustrated by a large map, truthfully showing the whole West, which they distribute free of charge. Copies, and additional information, can be obtained by addressing, General Passenger Agent, B. & M. R. R., Burlington, Iowa. 4-3-3m.

WANTED.— A situation by an experienced Engineer, is wanted. He has been in the business actively engaged for Sixteen years. The best of references. Enquire at the office of Bellefonte REPUBLICAN. v4n2-3t.

MURDOCH, always delights.


### To the Citizens of Centre County and Elsewhere.

Your attention is particularly requested to the following certificate referring to those old established remedies, "HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS", and "HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC," from that well known citizen,

IRA C. MITCHELL, ESQ.:

"BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 27, 1871

*Sir*:—I have just had the pleasure of meeting your Agent, the first representative of "Hoofland's German Bitters" and "Hoofland's German Tonic," it has ever been my good fortune to meet. For many years I have been purchasing and using them to the great comfort of myself, family and friends, having commenced their use on the recommendations of the Supreme Court Judges of this State. It affords me pleasure to have the opportunity to voluntarily recommend the same to all of my friends and acquaintances who may be suffering from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Billiousness or affections of the Liver, of any kind.

Very Respectfully,
IRA C. MITHELL."

These medicines are and have been well known to the community for the last twenty-five years, as genuine, reliable and deserving remedies for the diseases mentioned in the above certificate. Those afflicted should not fail to use them. Sold by all Druggists. C. M. EVANS, Proprietor, 631. Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 3-50-1y


LIST of Letters remaiuing in the Bellefonte Post office, and unclaimed, Jan. 29, 1872:

Miss Lyda Bechdol, Wm Bell, Joseph Baird, Miss Edith Cleaver, Miss Mary Clayton, Mrs Curtis, Michael Dougherty John Fogleman, Mary C Ginger, Mrs Annie M Griffey, Mrs Sarah C Green, Miss Sophia Hunter, Miss Maggie Kain, Miss Anna Loure, Andy Lucas, Chesta A Morer, Standish O'Grady, Celia Ross, Dr J W Shiver, Miss Caroline Smeltzer, Miss Lizzie M Swiler, Miss Sallie Stenkner, Daniel Sweitzer, David Sybert, James Strunk, Mrs Annie Sabler, S Starr, Aarbara Smith, Miss Sabina Wagner.

The Spanish government has ordered a further reinforcement of eighty thousand troops to be immediately dispatched to Cuba.

## MARRIED.

On the 1st inst. by Rev R C Bryson, Mr B J La Porte, and Miss L B Ewing, all of Ferguson twp, this county.

## DIED.

On the 23 ult., of Typhoid feaver Willie, Son of W. W. and Keziah Smith, of Unionville, aged 12 years, 5 months and 7 days.

Oh Death! Why cruel monster!
Why wreak thy vengence on this
Bud of youth? Unopened yet
By the ripening hand of time
But opening, fast unfoulding
Seeds of promise: The grave
Conceals him on this side
We no more shall see him.
At the table. We shall seek him
But he'll not be there—and
By the fire side but shall not
Find him. At church and
Sabbath School his voice will
Be heard no more: but where he
Sat another sits, and reads
The word of Life.
Oh! That we may live here,
Upon earth as a Family, when
Time is over with us we all shall join
Willie in the spirit world.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

A CARD.—We take this method of saying that there is no truth in the reports that have been circulated, "that we intend quitting the coal business as soon as our present supply is sold out." On the contrary we have on hands now and intend to keep on hand a well selected stock of the best Anthracite coal in the market.

47-tf ALEXANDER & Co.

FOR SALE.—The splendid mill property known as "Oak Hall," situate in Harris township, this county is now offered for sale. For full particulars as to price and terms inquire at the office of the Bellefonte REPUBLICAN. 43-tf


### A CHICAGO PHYSICIAN.

Dr. Joseph S. Lane, of 351 State St., Chicago, writes: "I was called in to see a case of Inflamation of the Kidneys that had been treated by one of of our most eminent phsicians. I saw from the symptoms that if your MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS was what it was represented to be, it would be the best thing I could prescribe. I did so, and with the most gratifying results. The patient had been confined to her room for some time, but after a few days use of the Bitters, she was able to be about and is now doing her own housework. I think very highly of your preparation and intend to use it constantly in my practice." 6-1an

### NERVOUS DEBILITY.

THOUSAND SUFFER FROM IT.—A Weak, Nervous, Exhausted Feeling, no Energy, Animation of Vigor, Low Spirits, Confused Head, Weak Memory, Nocturnal or Involuntary Seminal Emissions, With Loss of Power and Threatened Impotence. The consequent of excesses, overwork or indiscretions. This is NERVOUS DEBILITY, and it finds a sovereign remedy in HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFIC No. TWENTY-EIGHT. Thousands have been cured by these simple sugar pills. They tone up the system, arrest the discharges, dispel the gloom and mental depression, and rejuvenate the system. Price $5 for a package of five boxes and a vial of power, which is important in all old long-standing cases, or $1 per single box Sold by all first-class druggists, and sent to any address on receipt of the price. Address HUMPHREYS' SPECIFIC HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE CO., 562 Broadway, New York. v3n14-1y.


### Grain and Flour Markets.

Corrected Weekly by Keller & Musser.

BELLEFONTE, Feb. 7, 1872.

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| White Wheat per bushel | $1 35 |
| Red wheat | 1 30 |
| Barley | 65 |
| Shelled corn | 60 |
| Oats | 35 |
| Rye per bushel | 70 |
| Buckwheat per bushel | 75 |
| Clover seed " " | 5 50 |
| Plaster ₩ ton | 15 00 |

### Provision Market.

Corrected Weekly by Keller & Musser

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| Apples, dried, per lb | $10@12 |
| Peaches, dried, per lb | 12½15@22 |
| Cherries, dried, per lb | 8 |
| Beans per quart | 10 |
| Butter per lb | 25 |
| Chickens, per piece | 25 |
| Turkeys, per lb | 8 |
| Cheese per lb | 20 |
| Hams per lb | 12 |
| Bacon | 8 |
| Lard per lb | 8 |
| Eggs per doz | 25 |
| Potatoes per bushel | 40 |
| Dried Beef | |